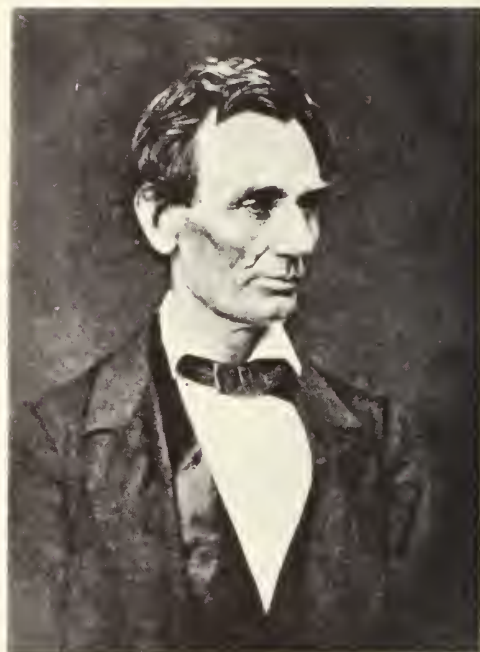


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"MY HOMELY FACE"—ABRAHAM LINCOLN

PHOTOGRAPH BY ALEXANDER HESLER, Springfield, Illinois, June 3, 1860. Not long after Lincoln's nomination, a Chicago reporter visited his home and noticed a framed photograph over the sofa. Likely it was one of the Hesler poses, perhaps the one at left. Observed the nominee: "That picture gives a very fair representation of my homely face."



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